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PORTSMOUTH, O., MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 24, 1850.

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wants of the travelling public.

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Childrens' Hats and Caps, of every beautiful form & now on hand, all of which will be sold singly or by the dozen, jon terms which cannot fail to be satisfactory. Front street, Portsmouth, April 29, '50

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Portsmouth, March 19, 1850—50.

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Slond also one of Secretary Type, we are prepared to execute all kinds of Legal and Business Blanks. We shall always keep on hand a full assortment of Land conveyances, Bills of Lading, From isory I notes, &c., got up after the most approved forms, which we will sell by the single sheet or quire, at prices, for the most part, as low as they can be procured in Cincinnati. Having been at considerable expense, from a desire to have the above named kieds of work executed as well in our town as they can be in larger places, we hope to receive a liberal share of public pat-

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Portsmouth, Nov. 27, '49—34tf.

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April 77.50

LAWS OF OHIO.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

AN ACT To amend the act entitled an act to authorize County Recorders to transcribe records in certain cases, passed January 30th, 1835, and

for other purposes. Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General As-sembly of the State of Ohio. That the recor-ders of the several counties be and they are hereby authorized and required to provide suitable books and continue and complete the general indexes provided for by the second section of the act entitled an act to authorize county recorders to transcribe records in certain cases, passed January 30th, 1835, to the present time, and for such services so rendered said recorders shall be compensated in the same way as in said section is provided.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of said recorders hereafter to continue said indexes from this time onward, as the business of their respective offices shall require, without compensation further than the cost of the

books used for that purpose.
Sec. 3. That the recorders of the several counties in this State be and they are hereby authorized and required to provide at the expense of their respective countles and keep in their respective offices three separate sets of record books, in one of which sets, to be denominated record of deeds, they shall record all deeds, powers of attorney and other instruments of writing for the absolute and unconditional sale or conveyance of lands, tenements or hereditaments, in regular succession according to the priority of their presentation; and in another of said sets, to be denominated record of mortgages, &c., they shall record all mortgages, powers of attorney and other in-struments of writing by which lands, tenements or hereditaments shall or may be mortgaged, or otherwise conditionally sold, conveyed, affected or incumbered in law, in like regular succession according to the pri-ority of their presentation; and in the other of said sets, to be denominated record of plats, they shall record all plats and maps of town lots and of the subdivisions thereof. and of other divisions or surveys of lands, in like regular succession according to the priority of their presentation, and such re-corders shall properly index each of said

books. SEC. 4. The recorders aforesaid and their respective sureties shall be 'fiable on their official bonds for all damages sustained by any person or persons, by the neglect or refusal of such recorders to perform the duties or any of them required of such recorders by this or any other act, or by the neglect or refusal of such recorders accurately and truly to transcribe and record within the period required by law for the recording thereof, any deed, mortgage, power of attorney or other instrument of writing required to be recorded, which shall be delivered or tendered to them at their respective offices for t purpose of being recorded. HENJAMIN F. LEITER.

Speaker of the House of Representatives, CHARLES C. CONVERS, March 23, 1850. Speaker of the Senate,

ANACT

To authorize County Commissioners to subscribe for newspapers.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That the county commissioners of each county in this State, be, and they are hereby authorized and required to subscribe for one copy of the leading newspapers of each political party, printed and published in each county, and cause the same to be bound and filed in the auditor's office as public archives, for the gratuitous inspection of the citizens of such

BENJAMIN F. LEITER, Speaker of the House of Representatives. CHARLES C. CONVERS, March 7, 1850. Speaker of the Senate.

AN ACT

Requiring annual settlements by County offi-

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That it is hereby of each county in this State, to report to the county commissioners, annually, at their June session, a certified statement of the number of criminal prosecutions pursued to final conviction, and sentence, under his official care, in the court of common pleas, during the year next preceding the time of making such statement, naming the party or parties to each, and the amount of fine assessed by the court in each case; and also the number of recognizance forfeited during the same period, and the amount collected in

each case.
SEC. 2. That the clerk of the court of common pleas, in each county shall report to the county commissioners at their June session, annually, a certified statement of the amount of fines assessed by the court in criminal cases during the year next preceding the time of making such statement, and also the amount of fines collected during the same period, naming the party or parties to each case, together with a statement of the amount of funds paid by him, pursuant to law, into the county treasury, naming the source or sources from whence such funds were derived; and he is also hereby required to pay over to the county treasurer, pursuant to the third section of an act entitled "an act for the disposition of unclaimed costs," passed March 18, 1839, all unclaimed costs in his possession, and included in the statement required as above, a statement of the amount of such costs so by him paid into the

SEC. 3, That the sheriff of each county shall report to the county commissioners at their June session, annually, a certified statement of all fines and costs in criminal prosecutions, collected by him during the year next preceding the time of making such statement, on execution or otherwise, and the amount of fines and costs so collected and paid over by him to the clerk of the court of common pleas, or to the county

treasurer.

SEC. 4. That the treasurer of each county shall, at the time of making his annual settlement with the county commissioners, furnish a certified statement of all moneys re-ceived by him during the year next preced-ing the time of making such statement, de-signating the seveni sources and the amount from each.
SEC. 5. The county commissioners are directed to examine and compare the several statements rendered as above, and take measures to rectify the same, should say er-

ter such examination, the county auditor shall record the several statements in a book kept specially for that purpose.

Size B. That if any officer named in the first, third and fourth sections of this act, all fail or neglect to perform any of the duties required by this act at the time and in the manner specified, every officer so failing shall be liable to, and pay a fine of not less than fifty, nor more than one hundred dollars, which fine shall be collected by the county commissioners by a suit against the officer so failing or his sureties, before any justice of the peace within the county, in an action of debt in the name of the county, and upon the judgment rendered in the case, no stay of execution shall be allowed.

SEC. 7. Should the clerk of the court of

common pleas neglect to pay over to the county treasurer the moneys required by the second section of this act, and also all unclaimed costs in his possession as required by the third section of the act of March 18, 1830, he or his sureties shall be liable to, and shall pay a fine of not less than three nor more than five hundred dollars, which shall be collected by the county commissioners in an action of debt in the name of the county, against such clerk or his sureties, before the

Court of common pleas.

BENJAMIN F. LEITER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CHARLES G. CONVERS,

March 22, 1850. Speaker of the Senate.

AN ACT

To smend the act entitled "An act to provide for the sale of lands belonging to the state, near the Mercer County Reservoir," passed February 24, 1848.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That the Board of Public Works be, and they are hereby directed to cause an appraisement to be made of the lands belonging to the State, and ly-ing between the water line as established by the survey, made in conformity with the act to which this is an amendment, and the margin of the reservoir, which land shall be appraised in parcels conformable to the life running north and south of the adjacent tracts heretofore sold or now owned by the State, extended to the margin of the wafer.

SEC. 2. That the appraisement so to be made shall not be by the acre, but in a total sum for each tract, and in reference to the probable fluctuation in the level of the water, and when made shall be deposited with the register of the State land office at Lima, and the land shall be subject to entry at the appraised value; Provided, that in all cases where the adjoining land on the back fine of a tract has been sold by the State, the presistor of such adjoining tract shall have the exclusive right for the period of one year, after the land is open for entry, to enter the same; and where the adjoining land on the back line is owned by the State, such tract shall be added to the adjoining land and be-

come part thereof. Sec. 3. That upon entry and payment of any thact so made subject to entry, the regcertificate describing the tract, the emount of the purchase money and that the same has been fully paid, upon the production and surrender of which the Governor is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the purchaser, or his assignee, a feed in fee simple for the same.

SEC, 4. That the said entries and the several tracts of land so disposed of, shall forevel remain liable to be appropriated by the State, in whole or in part, if at any time it shall be determined to raise the level of the waler in said reservoir so as to overflow the said land or any part thereof; and in case of such appropriation or overflow, the State stall only be liable to pay the owner for such part of said land so taken or overflowed, as lies between the water line hereinbefore mentioned, run by Alexander G. Conover, in 1848, and the meandering line run by Justin Hamilton in 1848, and the State shill only be liable to pay for the land so taken and overflowed within said line at a rate per acre, in the proportion that the whole sum at which the land was entered bears to the number of acres lying between the said two lines.

BENJAMIN F. LEITER, Speaker of the House of Representatives. CHARLES C. CONVERS, Speaker of the Senate.

March 23, 1850.

AN ACT

To repeal so much of the act entitled " An act to fix and apportion the Representation of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio," passed February 18, 1848, as purports to di-vide the county of Hamilton for the election of Schators and Representatives.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That so much of the act entitled "an act to fix and apportion the representation to the General As-sembly of the State of Ohio," dated February 18, 1848, as purports to divide the county of Hamilton into districts for the election of Senators and Representatives, be and the same is hereby repealed: Provided, that nothing herein contained, shall be so construed as to impair any rights, privileges or franchises, supposed to be acquired under said provisions above repealed.

BENJAMIN F. LEITER.

Speaker of the House of Representatives, CHARLES C. CONVERS. Jan. 31, 1850. Speaker of the Senate.

AN ACT

To exempt certain Students from labor on the

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That all students from other States, in actual attendance at college in Harrison county, who do not expect to make said county their tesidence, shall be exempt from the provisions of an act passed March 20th, 1837, prescrib-ing the duties of supervisors and relating to roads and highways, so far as the same may require them to perform two days of work on the public roads. SEC. 2. This act to take effect and be in

force from and after its passage.

BENJAMIN F. LEITER, Speaker of the House of Representatives. CHARLES C. CONVERS, March 20, 1850. Speaker of the Senate

AN ACT c authorize copies of Entries and Sarvéys in the Virginia Military District to be made. ne Virginia Military District to the second As-nes A: Be it enacted by the General As-ily of the State of Ohio, That the county maissioners of any county in this State, and they are berefly authorized and em-ments to procure, whenever they does

and recording therein any and all of the entries and surveys of any and all tracts of land, in whole or in part, in said county, in-

cluding accurate plats thereof. Sec. 2. That said entries, surveys and plats, may be copied from the entries, surveys and plats, in the office of the Auditor of State, and when so made and transmised, of State, and when so made and transcribed, shalf be carefully compared by said auditor, or some clerk in his office, who shall certify in said book, at the ent of said record, that the catrics, surveys and plats are truly taken, and copied from the books of entries, surveys and plats of land in the Virginia military district, in said frice; which certificate shall be under the sail of office of the Auditor of State.

Sec. 3. That the said book or books, containing the entries surveys and plats after-

Sec. 3. That the said book or books, containing the entries, surveys and plats expessed, shall be deposited and remain is, the office of the recorder of the proper county; and said records, and all copies thereof, certified by the recorder of the proper county, under his seal of office, to be true and corrections. rect copies from said record books, shall be received in evidence in all courts and places in the same manner, and shall have the same force and effect that the original entries, surveys and plats, or copies thereof, would have: Provided, that any person interested may impeach the correctness of said receipt, so deposited in the recorder's office, or copies

therefrom, by competent proof.

SEC. 4. That the recorder of the proper county shall, on demand of any person make and furnish cop er of any entry, survey or plat from said record, duly certified; and he shall be entitled to demand and receive therefor, the sum of the cents for every hundred words contained in the body of said copy, together with twenty-five cents for his certificate thereto, under seal, and twenty-five cents for each plat with said copy.

Sec. 5. That any book of entries, surveys and plats of lambs in the Virginie military discounts.

district, heretofore made, shall, on demand of the recorder of any county, be compared and certified by the Auditor of State, or some clerk in his office, in the same manner as provided in the second section of this act; and copies certified from such book, or from any book of eatries and surveys certified by W. Marshall anderson, surveyor of the Vir-ginia military district, or his successor in office, under his seal of office, by the recorder of the county in whose office the same may be, shall have the same force and effect as copies authorized to be certified under the

preceding section of this act. Sec. 6, That the book containing copies of the original plats and surveys of Virginia military land, in the county of Union, in the State of Ohio, which said book and copies were copied, prepared end arranged from the books and records in the office of the surveyor of the Virginia military land district at Chillicothe, in the State of Ohio, and were authenticated by the certificate of W. Marshall Anderson, surveyor of said district, under his hand and the seal of his said office, on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1845, and which are now kept in the office of the seditor of said Union county, shall be here after received in all courts of record and elsewhere, as lawful and conclusive evidence in all suits, controversies, proceedings and acts whatsoever, touching the land, or any part thereof, to which said book, copies and plats, or any part thereof, may have re-

BENJAMIN F. LEITER, Speaker of the House of Representatives. CHARLES C. CONVERS. March 19, 1850. Speaker of the Senate.

AN ACT To smend the act entitled " An act to amend the several acts now in force in relation to the sale of lands forfeited to the State for the non-payment of Taxes," passed March 12,

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General As-sembly of the State of Ohio, That all moneys which now are, or may hereafter be in the treasury of any county in this State, under and by virtue of the provisions of the act entitled "an act to amend the several acts now in force in relation to the sale of lands forfeited to the State for the non-payment of taxes," passed March 12, 1845, and which law to be paid to the proper owner of the land so sold, shall be retained in the treasury, and paid over to such owner, on demand, at any time within six years from

the day of such sale.
Sec. 2. So much of the third section of the above named act as conflicts with the provisions of this act, is hereby repealed. BENJAMIN F. LEITER.

Speaker of the House of Representatives. CHARLES C. CONVERS, March 22, 1850. Speaker of the Senate.

AN ACT

To amend the several acts in relation to incorporated Religious Societies. SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General As-sembly of the State of Ohio, That whenever

any property has been, or may be, conveyed in trust for the use of any religious society, church or association, whether incorporated or not, the property so conveyed shall be held by the trustee or trustees, so appointed, and their successors, appointed as provided in the instrument creating such trust, or in case no provision is made in such instrument, then by such successor or successors, as may be appointed by any compe tent court; but no person shall be elected or appointed by such society, church or association, to act as trustees, to the exclusion of any trustee or trustees, appointed as aforesaid.

BENJAMIN F. LEITER, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
CHARLES C. CONVERS, March 23, 1850. Speaker of the Senate.

SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE, ? Columbus, April 1, 1850. I hereby certify that the foregoing is a cor-rect copy of the original roll, now on file in this office. HENRY W. KING, Secretary of State.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, SCIOTO COUNTY. ? June 20, 1850. I hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing laws with the copy furnished me by the Secretary of State, and find them correct. GEO. A. WALLER, A. S. C.

Power or Isterest.-The island which now constitutes the city and county of New York was purchased of the Indians in 1626. for 24 dollars. This seems cheep; yet, if that aim had been invested at compound interest, at 7 per cent, the accumulated capital would amount to sixty-five millions of dollars, or more than the city and county of New York is now worth radiants, what has COLUMBUS, June 14, '50.

Columbus, June 14, 50.

This morning, Mr. Chambers presented the proceedings of a public meeting of the citizens of Zanesville, inviting the convention to adjourn its sittings to that place it case of a removal from Columbus before completing its labors.

Mr. Barbee gave notice that he on its morrow or some subsequent day, would introduce a resolution to adjourn the sittings of the convention until October next.

Mr. Stidger presented three petitions from citizens of Stark county, irrespective of party, he said, asking that constitutional provision may be make forever probibiting the use of paper money, and the incorporation of any Banking company in this State.

Mr. Mitchell presented a petition from Knox county, on the same subject, with the same prayer.

Knox county, on the same subject, with the same prayer.

The standing committee on the Judicial Department, submitting their report, through their chairman, Judge Kennon, which was laid on the table, and 1500 copies ordered to be printed. This is decidedly the most finportant report which will be before the convention, and I shall endeavor to give you synopsis of its leading features as acon as it shall be printed—perhaps to morrow.

The committee of the whole again resumed the consideration of the report of the committee on corporations, and discussed the individual liability question till hoof without coming to a vote on striking out the section. During the afternoon the question was settled by retaining the section as amended, which is as follows:

"Dues from corporations shall be secured by such individual liability of the stockhold-ors and other means as may be prescribed by law; Provided, the liability of each stockholder shall never be less than the amount of stock in any corporations has been secured.

holder shall never be less than the amount of stock in any corporation by him or her owned, together with a further sum of equal amount.

The italicised words are amendments to the report of the committee, the latter clause of which you will perceive makes the atockholder in a corporation hable for double the amount of stock subscribed.

Further process was made into the report this afternoon, but no more material amend-ments were made. I think it was a second

ed to-morrow.

Yours, &c.,

Columbus, Jone 19. Six petitions were presented this morifing on the subject of temperance, asking that the General Assembly be prohibited from passing laws legalizing the sale of

ardont spirits. The report of the commutee on Corpor-ations, which had been discussed for six days, and until the members had become tired of it; and that, too, without finishing it, was this morning laid on the table, and the amendments, as far as made, ordered to be printed. It will doubtless be the subject-of as much declamation and eternal jargan in the convention, as it has al-

ready been in committee of the whole. There was only a forencon session today, and that was spent in committee of the whole discussing the report of the committee on the militia. The first section of said report, as it came from the committee, provided that all white male inhabitants of this state, over 18 years of age and under 45, should be enrolled in the

militia, &c. Mr. Cook, (free-soiler) moved to strike out the "white."

Mr. Stanton, (whig.) moved to insert in its stead, the word "black."

Col. Sawyer, (dem.) moved to strike out the word "male." Mr. Cook was in earnest, but Mesers. Stanton and Sawyer werefun Col Sawyer said the ladies had been sending in their petitions, asking for equa rights and privileges with the rest of mankind, and now he would enfer the field as a champion for their cause. He did not know why they should be deprived of the inestimable privilege of carrying cornstalks

and mustering—and he thought they would make good soldiers. The Colonel said since he had ceased to be a military man, the militia of the State had got into a rather dilapidated condition, and he thought by inviting the ladies into the ranks it would be greatly improved, and we would then have some new systems of training—the ladies understood charging and discharging bagnets, and they could carry their cartridges upon an improved plan—he didn't know whether behind or

Col. Hawkins did not like that style of ridiculing the ladies. He wanted gentlemen to meet their arguments fairly, and with that calm consideration which they

deserved. Mr. Gillett had no objection to muster-ing with the fairer half of creation, and as the gentleman had been for a long time drilling the ladies, he thought it might be well enough to change sides awhile; but if the darkies were to muster, he would suggest the propriety of fixing in the con-stitution the time for mustering—he hoped it would be in cold weather, or the odor

would not be very pleasant Mr. Hitchcock, of Cuyahoga, wanted to be serious about this matter, and he proceeded at some length with a regular set free-soil speech.

The first section of the report was a length striken out, with a view of inserting another, to the effect that the whole matter should be left to the legislature. A discussion then spring up on a motion that persons belonging to the society of Friends; and others having consciontious scruples about the matter, should not be compelled to perform military duty. After the discoasion had progressed sufficiently to give he Tucker-croed and free sellish a thorough sifting, Little Jimmy Taylor discovered an enormous bug-bear, which no-body else could are, and he slew right traight off the handle." He progressly with one of his own peculiar winds speeches, in words of "thoundering saints," should free scilliam, Martin Van Bersen, and matters and things in section. After he got through; the members leaded to the wife country to do not have a wife country to do not have a wife